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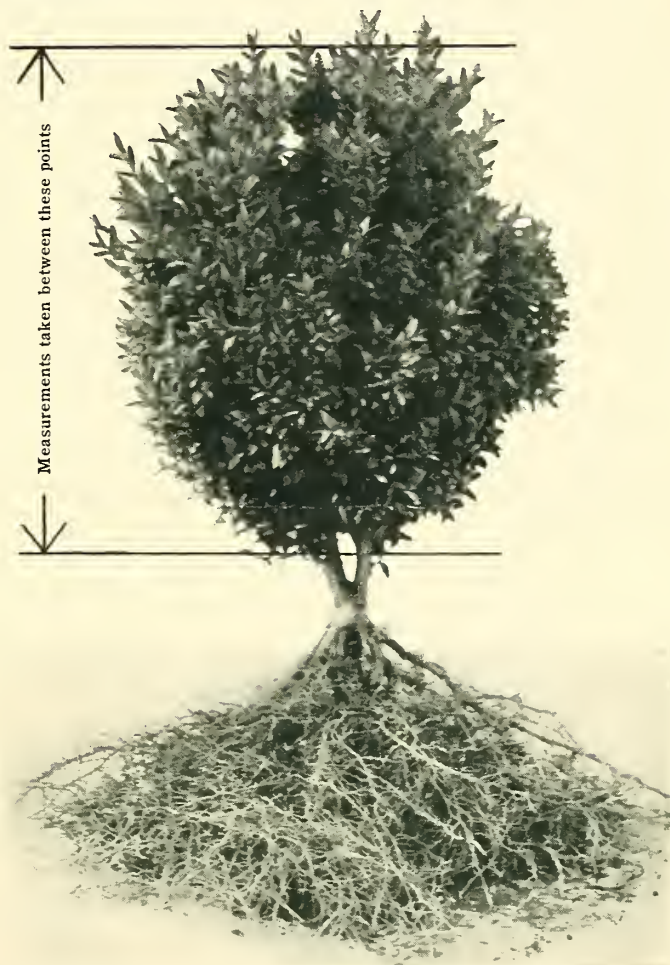
Canterbury Boxwood

FIRST. Your attention is invited to the root-system of the plant at the right. This is typical of all plants from Canterbury Nurseries. The root-system is the "insurance policy" that supports the developments above the soil. Canterbury plants are a finished product, both below and above ground.



Buxus sempervirens

SECOND. *Buxus sempervirens*, or the Common Boxwood, is probably more extensively used than any other member of the family. This is not strange, for it thrives over a broad territory, may be sheared to pyramid or ball forms, or allowed to grow without restraint other than the slight clipping needed to keep the plants within bounds, and to increase growth.



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(BUSH BOXWOOD)

The Perfect Hedge Plant

IN COLOR this species is a rich green which holds for the whole year. Therefore, it has superior advantages as a hedge plant. *B. sempervirens* has all the good points of the old English Boxwood (*B. suffruticosa*); it will fill all places where that variety is used, unless it is where dwarf plants are required.

B. sempervirens grows freely, is long-lived, and may be sheared with impunity, but, contrasting with other hedge plants, once a year is the maximum needed. And the cost for such an aristocrat is indeed small—a mere fraction of the cost of *B. suffruticosa*. For example, a hedge of *B. sempervirens* measuring over a foot in height may be purchased at under \$1 per foot.

Inevitably, the demand has greatly raised the price of larger plants of *B. suffruticosa* to such an extent that the wise planter has been turning more and more to *B. sempervirens*.



Clipped ball—foliated clear through

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PRODUCTION AND SERVICE

BOUNDED by the Chesapeake and Delaware bays and the ocean, the moisture-laden air of Maryland's Eastern Shore imparts to the plants the richest possible color and texture. Due to the clay loam soil of the nursery, which holds the moisture close to the surface, masses of tiny roots are developed which make transplanting an uneventful change for the plants.

The organization at Canterbury is schooled to produce one thing—Boxwood—and to produce that one thing as nearly perfect as possible. The smallest edging plants, when examined, will be found to be as perfect individuals as are the larger specimens. Then, too, our enormous stock in all sizes permits us to make rigorous selection—to reject every plant that does not conform to our high standard.

In nearly all cases Canterbury Boxwood is shipped the day following the receipt of order—every plant freshly dug, not stored. Specialization permits of this practice. What buyer does not appreciate such a service?

Our many satisfied customers assert that when quality, bushiness, color, and general plant-character are a consideration, Canterbury Boxwood is not only the best produced, but is the most economical. In order to prove this we are always delighted to submit samples to discriminating buyers.



Naturally grown bush—note compactness of foliage

Special - Spring 1931
An additional discount of 12½% is allowed
to the Trade on orders of 100 or more on
Buxus sempervirens



An arm of the Chesapeake in the background—hence the richness in Canterbury color

BUXUS SEMPERVIRENS

ADAPTED to hedge-planting, and can be allowed to grow naturally, or be clipped to restrain height. Canterbury plants are compact, foliated to the center, and are “finished specimens.” All B&B.

Wholesale Price-List

STANDARD GRADE	Less than 25 Each	25 or more Each
10 to 12 inches	\$0 60	\$0 40
12 to 15 inches	70	50
15 to 18 inches	80	60

EXTRA HEAVY

15 to 18 inches	1 25	1 00
18 to 21 inches	1 75	1 50
21 to 24 inches	2 25	2 00
24 to 28 inches	2 75	2 50

TOPIARY FORMS

Sheared forms of *Buxus sempervirens*. Not to be confused with the light green western-grown *Buxus japonica*.

Wholesale Price-List

PYRAMIDS	Less than 25 Each	25 or more Each
15 to 18 inches	\$2 25	\$2 00
18 to 21 inches	2 50	2 25
21 to 24 inches	2 75	2 50
24 to 28 inches	3 00	2 75
28 to 30 inches	3 25	3 00

STANDARDS

15 to 20 ins. x 16 to 18 ins. . .	3 00	2 75
20 to 22 ins. x 16 to 18 ins. . .	3 25	3 00

BALLS

12 x 12 inches	1 35	1 25
14 x 14 inches	1 70	1 50
16 x 16 inches	2 00	1 75
18 x 18 inches	2 25	2 00
20 x 20 inches	2 50	2 25

ABOVE PRICES INCLUDE B&B AND PACKING

FOR PRICES ON BUXUS SUFFRUTICOSA, SEE NEXT PAGE

Buxus suffruticosa

THE demand for *Buxus suffruticosa* has grown so rapidly during the past few years, that it has taxed us to the utmost to produce a sufficient quantity to fill requirements. In spite of this, we have rigorously maintained our standard and will continue to ship only those plants, no matter how small, that are individually perfect specimens.

Wholesale Price-List

	Less than 25 Each	25 or more Each	500 or more Each
4 to 5 inches	\$0 25	\$0 15	\$0 12½
5 to 6 inches	30	20	16½
6 to 8 inches	40	30	24
8 to 10 inches	60	50	
10 to 12 inches	85	75	
12 to 14 inches, B&B	2 00	1 50	
14 to 16 inches, B&B	4 00	3 00	
16 to 18 inches, B&B	6 00	5 00	

NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR PACKING

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BOXWOOD grown at Canterbury Nurseries is famous for its color, bushiness, and the splendid condition of each plant, whether large or small. Grown under ideal conditions, it is unsurpassed; in fact, each plant, from the smallest to the largest, is in itself a perfect specimen. Although we have 110 acres in growing Boxwood, our only effort is to attain quality in the individual plant. Comparisons in price are possible only with this as a consideration.

The best time for shipping and transplanting Boxwood is from March 1 until April 15, and from October 1 until December 1.

Quotations are made and orders accepted subject to stock on hand and unsold. All agreements and contracts are made subject to loss by the elements or other unavoidable causes. We use all possible care but cannot assume any responsibility after shipment has been delivered to carrier. We give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness, or any other matter of any nursery stock or plants we sell.

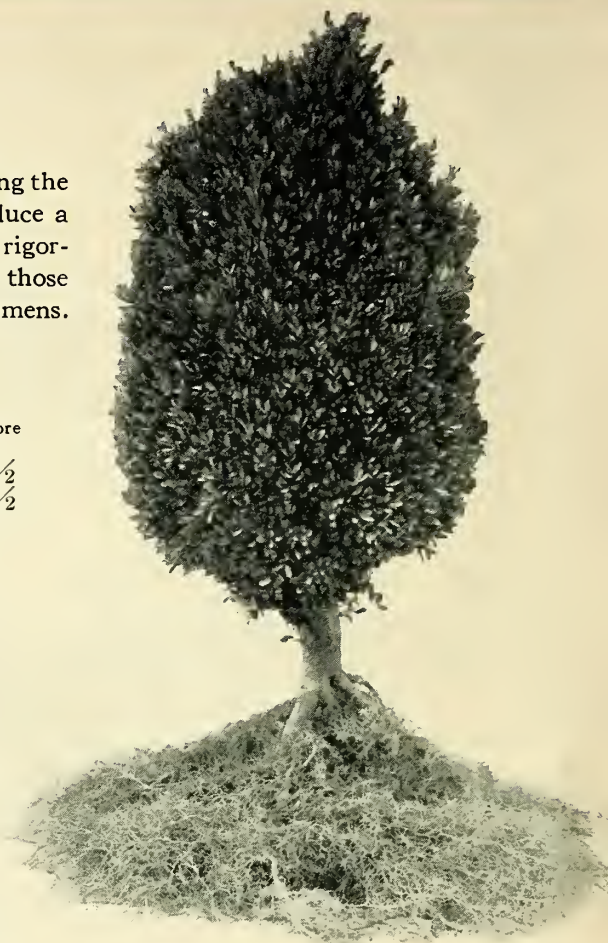
Except where noted as B&B, an extra charge will be made for digging with ball and burlapping. **PACKING IS FREE.**

Our terms are 60 days net or 2 per cent 10 days. Upon proper credit references, open account will be made; otherwise, cash must accompany order.

Prices are quoted f.o.b. Easton, Maryland, and are subject to change without notice.

We can also supply many other varieties of Buxus.

Inquiries solicited for *Thuya orientalis*, *Platanus orientalis*, *Euonymus radicans*, *Euonymus acutus*, *Ligustrum ovalifolium aureum*, *Ligustrum lucidum*, *Lonicera nitida*, *Ilex opaca*, and *Cedrus libani*.



Buxus suffruticosa

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